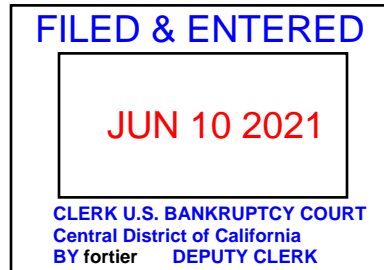


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In re
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Case No. 2:20-bk-21022-BR
Chapter 7

**ORDER GRANTING CHAPTER 7
TRUSTEE'S APPLICATION TO EMPLOY
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RICHARDS & ASSOCIATES, A.P.C. AS
SPECIAL LITIGATION COUNSEL**

Date: June 8, 2021
Time: 10:00 a.m.
Ctrm.: 1668
255 E. Temple Street
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18 *Signature attached*

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24 Date: June 10, 2021



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United States Bankruptcy Judge

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